

CANADA TO WELCOME CURRIE ON HIS RETURN

NEGROES AND WHITE
MAN KILLED IN RACE
RIOTS IN WASHINGTON

Five Deaths Result From Clashes in American Capital;
Fifty Persons Wounded; Martial Law May Be Proclaimed to End Trouble

Washington, July 22.—Proclamation of martial law may be necessary to end race rioting here which resulted last night in the killing of five persons and injuring of at least fifty. Several days of disorders, following a wave of attacks on white women, robberies and assaults by negroes, culminated in a series of race battles during the night hours with which police were unable to cope fully, despite the aid of military provost guards. Several of the injured were reported fatally hurt and at least 200 rioters were put under arrest. The dead include Detective Sergeant Harry Wilson, who was shot through the heart by a negro girl when he entered a house from which she was firing indiscriminately into the street.

Detective Bernard W. Thompson was seriously wounded by a negro in the same section of the city.

Negroes Killed

Four negro men were killed and several are believed to have been fatally wounded. Three patrolmen are included in the list of badly wounded.

Although two troops of cavalry from Fort Myer had been called out to patrol the streets and 400 marines from Quantico and the Washington marine barracks had been added to the provost guard as a precaution against disorders, the situation at times last night was more than the authorities could cope with.

Reserve squads of police and provost guards were rushed through the streets of the city all night in answer to riot calls. Army motor trucks were stationed at the precinct headquarters with a squad of men armed with automatic rifles assigned to each.

Bought Revolvers

Last night's rioting was marked by a general preparedness on the part of the negroes, who during the day purchased hundreds of revolvers. Early in the evening they formed into crowds in their own sections and attacked white men wherever found.

Later in the night the negroes dispersed as mobs and numbers of them took possession of high-powered automobiles, in which they raced through

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CHINESE MAY SIGN
THE GERMAN PACT

British Leading in Compromise Movement; States and Bulgarian Treaty

Paris, July 22.—The members of the Chinese peace delegation say that no compromise will yet be framed which will make it possible for them to sign the German treaty. It is known, however, that the Entente powers are working on a plan to effect an agreement with Japan concerning Shantung which will satisfy the Chinese and induce them to sign the German treaty.

The British delegation is known to be leading in a compromise movement which may result in Japan putting into written form the oral agreement said to have been entered into by Japan for the restoration of Shantung to China at some fixed time.

Bulgarian Treaty

There is much speculation in Peace Conference circles as to whether the United States delegation will continue active participation in the framing of the Bulgarian peace treaty since it is not positively known that the United States will sign this treaty. Premier Venizelos of Greece raised the question when the United States delegation will sign and gave a clear intimation that a country which did not intend to sign could scarcely insist in participating in the treaty negotiations. This resulted in a message being sent to Washington from the United States delegation asking whether the United States Government intended to affix its signature to the compact.

Serbian

Paris, July 22.—(Havas)—The Serbians are to be asked by the Supreme Inter-Allied Council to withdraw from the Klagenfurt district in Austria, since it has been decided to hold a plebiscite there. The Journal says to-day.

Greek-Bulgarian Dispute

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FACTORY WAGE TO
BE DEBATED AGAIN

Minimum Wage Board Will
Reopen Conference in
Two Weeks

In response to the memorial submitted to the British Columbia Minimum Wage Board by the Provincial branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and the Vancouver Board of Trade it has been decided to reopen the conference at which the minimum wage for factory workers was recently set at \$14.

This announcement was made by J. D. McNiven, Deputy Minister of Labor, this morning following a complete review of the whole of the circumstances embodied in the memorial referred to the Board.

It is understood that due and proper notice of the resumed sittings will be given so that proceedings may be commenced in about two weeks' time.

One of the chief objections raised in the memorial was that insufficient publicity was given to the original conference, the effect of which was the presentation of only a small part of the evidence by the manufacturing interests themselves.

It is stated that many other factors calculated to have a very considerable bearing upon the ultimate minimum decided upon have yet to be considered in order that the findings of the Board shall be equitable to both employer and employee alike.

It is to remove any possibility of injustice which might be worked from the alleged causes advanced in the memorial that the Board decided to reopen the conference.

SUICIDE AT FERNIE.

Fernie, July 22.—The decapitated body of a man identified as that of Nick Slemko was found this morning 110 feet east of the C. P. R. depot water tank. Indications point to suicide.

VANCOUVER-CALGARY
AEROPLANE FLIGHT

Lieut. Hall, of Victoria, Attempts First Crossing of the Rockies

Calgary, July 21.—The Calgary Aero Club is making elaborate preparations for the reception of Lieut. Hall, the aviator who left Vancouver last night on an experimental aero-plane trip across the Rockies to Calgary.

The Club received a message from Hall stating that he would arrive in the way of the Crow's Nest Pass to Lethbridge and thence to Calgary. This will be an easier trip than attempting the flight of the Kickin' Horse Pass. Hall is travelling in a Curtis plane. He is expected in Calgary Wednesday evening.

A dispatch from Vancouver last night said Lieut. Hall, a Victoria aviator, had started from Victoria Park, Vancouver, at 7.30 last evening on his first lap of what he planned to make the first Vancouver-Calgary flight. His wife was a passenger with him in the Curtis machine to Chilliwack, the first stopping place.

GENERAL STRIKE
FAILED IN ITALY

Rome, July 22.—(Havas)—The proposed international demonstrative strike called for yesterday was not put into effect on any considerable scale in any of the large cities of Italy, according to reports received here.

PRIVY COUNCIL HAS
SUSTAINED PROVINCE

Spanish Bank and Treat
Case Went Against
Dominion

In two important cases where the rights of the Province of British Columbia are involved the Privy Council has upheld the decision of the local courts against the Dominion Government in what is popularly known as the Spanish Bank case, and against the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company in the Harry Whitney Treat case.

This information was made known to Premier Oliver this morning in a cable from the Hon. J. W. de B. Parry, Attorney-General and Minister of Labor for British Columbia, who has appeared before the highest court in the Empire to contest the appeals of the Dominion and the Railway Company respectively.

Mr. Oliver regards the information as extremely gratifying with regard to the constitutional question involved and the satisfaction afforded the Cabinet by the success of the Attorney-General's personal mission to London.

Upholds B. C. Courts.

It will be recalled that the "Spanish Bank" case is an appeal on the part of the Dominion Government from the judgment of the British Columbia Court of Appeal affirming the judgment of Macdonald, J., in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, by which the action was dismissed with costs. The Court of Appeal upheld the judgment.

Briefly the details of the case are as follows: What is known as the "Spanish Banks" are shoals of sand or gravel banks formed by the action of the sea in the neighborhood of English Bay, Vancouver. It had been the practice for various contracting firms to carry away from time to time sand and gravel from this and other similar localities after first obtaining permission from the Provincial Government.

Both claimed jurisdiction.

It developed, however, that other parties appealed to and secured from the Dominion Government a lease on the "Spanish Bank," whereupon a charge was thereafter made to the Ritchie Contracting Company, which had drawn its sand and gravel from the particular spot on provincial authority and permission hitherto so much per load. Here was a case of a dual claim of jurisdiction, and the Harbor Commissioners of Vancouver were joined as plaintiffs in the subsequent action. The claim of the Province is summed up in its assertion that the Dominion Government issued a lease for something which it did not

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BRITISH WARNED
ON FOOD PROBLEM

Sir A. Geddes Says Prices Will
Soar Skyward Next
Winter

London, July 22.—Prophecy that the price of food in the United Kingdom next winter will "climb to a level never dreamed of," was uttered by Sir Auckland Geddes, Minister of Reconstruction, in an address at Crewe.

A member of the audience shouted "More wages." Sir Auckland replied that there would be no money to pay more wages because it would have to go overseas to pay for food.

Warning Given.

The Minister warned the public that it was squandering its money in a colossal way on things that did not matter.

"You cannot live like millionaires," he said, "if you are as poor as a church mouse. This nation is now poor. It is living as if it were wealthy."

More beer was being brewed in Great Britain, yet people complained of a shortage. This was attributed to a doubling of the amount of beer consumed, because since the war was more time to drink it and more money to pay for it.

Luxuries.

By sending overseas for beer, silk for stockings and feathers for hats, Sir Auckland said, the people were increasing Great Britain's debt for things that did not matter.

"What you ought to get are food and raw material," he declared.

Sir Auckland denounced the limitation of output as "stark, staring lunacy." The mill-owners, he said, limited output to obtain higher prices and the operators limited it to make work for more people.

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BELGIANS REJOICE
IN THEIR LIBERTY

National Festival Occasion of
Greatest Throngs in History
of Brussels

Brussels, July 22.—Never in its history has Brussels seen such tremendous crowds as those which took place to-day in the celebration of the Belgian National Festival. It was the first day of the fete, a notable feature of which is the presence for the event of President Poincaré of France, and the occasion brought forth such an outpouring of people that the city's traffic was virtually paralyzed. It seemed as if the whole population was in the streets to witness the various features of the celebration programme.

Children Paraded.

A striking feature of the day's proceedings was the parade of school children, reviewed by the three children of King Albert—Prince Leopold, Prince Charles and Princess Marie Jose. The Burgomaster also took the children who placed wreaths at the foot of the many soldiers in tribute to Belgium's living heroes, while at the cenotaph erected in the park close to the royal palace thousands of persons paid tribute to the heroic dead.

King Albert and Queen Elizabeth were participants in the ceremonial before the cenotaphs. They walked from the palace and laid wreaths before the empty tombs as their tribute, as did President Poincaré later.

Torchlight Parade.

Last night's illumination of Brussels, on the eve of the fete, was on an unprecedented scale. A part of the illumination was a great torchlight parade.

Rain fell intermittently during the day, but this failed to chill the enthusiasm of the spectators or to mar the brilliance of the victory procession through the principal thoroughfares.

WINNIPEG ASKING
OTTAWA FOR MONEY

Winnipeg, July 22.—No holidays will be given to the civic employees who went on strike. A resolution to this effect was passed last night by the City Council by a vote of 7 to 6. It was argued that this action was necessary if the city's public works programme was to be completed this year.

The proposal was made by the Dominion Government to help pay the cost of the special police engaged during the strike was accepted by the Council. The cost amounted to \$20,665.99.

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FRENCH PREMIER
DECLARES POLICY

Chamber of Deputies Meets
This Afternoon to Hear
Statement

Paris, July 22.—In readiness to hear the Government's declaration on its policy, on which it had been announced a vote of confidence would be asked. The Chamber of Deputies met this morning. Premier Clemenceau, it developed, was not ready to make his statement at the morning session and the Chamber adjourned until afternoon to await the Premier's pleasure.

There was much interest in the expected developments of the day, to which great importance was attached, as it was anticipated that the motion for an interpellation of the Government on its general policy which M. Franklin Poirier, an independent Socialist, had given might precipitate an amended debate.

Amnesty Bill.

It was announced early in the afternoon that at the second session of the day the Government would introduce an amnesty bill. The question of amnesty, growing more acute since the German treaty was signed, is one of the issues on which the Government has been criticized.

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BURNING DIRIGIBLE FELL
IN CHICAGO, KILLING TWELVE

Chicago, July 22.—Twelve persons were killed and twenty-six injured when a large dirigible on a test flight above Chicago caught fire and fell 500 feet, crashing through the glass roof of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, Jackson Boulevard and La Salle Street, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Most of the dead were employees of the bank, trapped and burned to death in a fire caused by the explosion of the balloon's gasoline tanks as they hit the floor of the bank rotunda, where more than 200 bookkeepers and clerks, nearly all girls, were working.

The balloon, owned by the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, of Akron, Ohio, had been flying above the city for several hours when the accident occurred. When the craft was approximately 500 feet above the bank, a spout of flame was seen to shoot out from the rear of the aircraft. The crowd gathered on the street to watch the flight saw the machine buckle and quiver as it started on its fatal plunge.

There was nothing to warn the hundreds of employees of the banking institution of the coming tragedy.

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DOMINION GOVERNMENT
TO ARRANGE WELCOME
FOR GENERAL CURRIE

Victorian Who Led Canada's Forces in Field Will Be
Tendered Formal Reception in Honor of His and the
Troops' Achievements

Ottawa, July 22.—Arrangements for welcoming Lieut.-General

Sir Arthur Currie to Canada will not be made by the Government, it is stated, until after the return to the capital of Sir Robert Borden and Major-General Mewburn, Minister of Militia, at the end of the week. Sir Arthur is not due to arrive in Ottawa until about August 10, and it was officially stated this morning that there will be ample time after the return of the Prime Minister and the Minister of Militia to arrange for a suitable reception.

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**BODY OF MANNHEIM
 BROUGHT TO PARIS**

Paris, July 22.—The body of Sgt. Paul Mannheim, of the French army, who was murdered in Berlin on July 13, arrived in Paris yesterday.

The casket was covered with the French and German flags, hidden under wreath sent by General Margain, the French commander, and by the French, Belgian, Italian and Spanish missions, as well as some placed on it by Germans at Berlin. Full military honors were rendered.

The French Government recently sent a note to Berlin demanding

1,000,000 francs indemnity for the murder of Sgt. Mannheim and an additional sum to Mannheim's family.

Germany, in reply, refused to pay the indemnity, but pointed out that in the apology forwarded before receipt of the French note, Germany had agreed to recompense the family of the murdered soldier. The German Government added that if France were not satisfied with the offer Germany was willing to leave the matter to a court of arbitration.

A good method of keeping carpets clean and in good condition is to sweep them once a week with a broom dipped in a solution of hot water and turpentine. This not only revives the color but keeps away moths.

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**\$40,000,000 WAS
 DAMAGE IN FRANCE**

Deputies Examining Treaty
 Learn of Results of
 Germany's Attack

Paris, July 22.—French Wireless Service—The parliamentary committee examining into the peace treaty with Germany yesterday listened to a report by Deputy Louis Dubois on the clauses relating to reparations.

M. Dubois said the material damage done in the invaded departments amounted to 119,000,000,000 francs. This amount, he said, had been verified by a committee of engineers, architects, manufacturers and agriculturists. He added that the damage done to agriculture was said to aggregate 37,000,000 francs.

The damage falling upon individuals and the money paid to various commercial enterprises were not included in the sum of 119,000,000,000 francs, and likewise 37,000,000,000 francs for military expenses and 6,000,000,000 francs for pensions were not embraced in the sum. The total amount of the damage done, M. Dubois said, would aggregate 200,000,000,000 francs (\$40,000,000,000).

A German statement.

Berlin, July 21.—Via London, July 22.—Criticism of the delay in returning German prisoners of war was answered to-day by the German Government in a statement that put the blame on the Allies.

It will be some time, the statement says, before the prisoners will be returned to their families. The reason for this, it is added, is that the peace terms stipulate that prisoners shall be sent home as soon as possible, but the return is to be controlled by a commission made up of both Allied and German members.

Members of the German delegation at Versailles, the statement continues, have been waiting vainly for weeks for the Entente to name its commissioners. Germany can only beg the Entente to hasten matters.

Switzerland and League.

Geneva, July 21.—Via London, July 22.—A committee of Swiss experts considering the League of Nations adopted to-day a resolution favoring Switzerland's membership in the League by a vote of twenty-four to two. The two adverse votes were cast by Socialist members of the committee.

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**J. A. McMENN DIED
IN VANCOUVER**

Vancouver, July 22.—Superintendent of Provincial Police McMynn received a shock yesterday along with many sportsmen of Vancouver, when he received the news of the death of his brother, J. A. McMynn, of Midway, B.C., at a hospital here.

Superintendent McMynn was not aware that his brother was in Vancouver. His brother came to this city to defend his title as champion trap shot of the Province at the tournament of the Vancouver Gun Club held on July 12. Mr. McMynn was a retiring and quiet man, and after the tournament, in which he lost the title but shot second to Jack Read, of Vancouver, he was not heard from. His Vancouver friends took it for granted that he had left for his home in Midway.

The fact was that he had taken ill the next day and gone to the General Hospital without notifying anyone. He died at noon yesterday following an operation. He was a well-known British Columbian, having been a resident of the Province for some twenty years.

FEEDING OF CATTLE

IN PRAIRIE AREAS

Winnipeg, July 22.—Amalgamation of the two farmer organizations in British Columbia, the United Farmers and the Farmers' Institutes, was decided upon tentatively by delegates from the two associations at a meeting of the members of the association will be held each year, and addresses or talks on subjects of interest will be given. A nominal fee of fifty cents will be charged for membership, and from this body the members of the Girl Guides' Committee will be elected at its annual meeting each October.

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SIR ROBERT'S PROBLEM.

Sir Robert Borden's chief difficulty in connection with Cabinet reconstruction is in providing adequate representation for French Canada. The French-Canadians comprise the largest homogeneous racial element of the Dominion and are probably a third of the total population. No Ministry can be truly national, in fact none can efficiently administer the affairs of the country, without the active co-operation of representatives of the French-Canadian people. A "national" Cabinet in which a province with a population six times that of British Columbia has but one representative, who must sit in the Senate because he could not be elected to the House of Commons, is certainly an anomaly.

In the last Dominion election only one French-Canadian was elected in support of the Union Government. This was Dr. Chabot, of Ottawa, who, however, had no Cabinet aspirations. Both Hon. P. E. Blondin, Postmaster-General, and Hon. Albert Sevigny, Minister of Inland Revenue, were disastrously defeated. Dr. Blondin was rescued from political oblivion by an appointment to the Senate which, however, enables him to retain his portfolio as Postmaster-General. It is not desirable that more than one or two Ministers should sit in the Senate and Sir Robert Borden has been trying to find French-Canadians strong enough to be elected to the House of Commons as members of his Administration.

At this range the Prime Minister's efforts suggest the hunt for the proverbial needle in the haystack. The French-Canadian electorate has a long memory, longer, we think, than the memory of the English-speaking electorate, and the Prime Minister's political relations with that part of Canada during the last ten years have raised numerous chickens which from time to time have come home to the political roost. The newly-formed Unionist party must be national to be anything at all worth while, and it assuredly cannot be national with French Canada out of it. The question which is distracting the Prime Minister, therefore, is how he is going to inject into his Cabinet proper representation of an electorate so deeply hostile to it.

HOUSING SCHEME REJECTED.

It is to be regretted that the City Council has decided to take no part in providing houses for returned soldiers under the national housing scheme. The decision reached yesterday evening is unfortunate because it denies to about three score of former warriors the opportunity of obtaining a home by easy stages in an ideal locality; because it disregards a means of alleviating the shortage of housing accommodation generally, the seriousness of which is dealt with by Alderman Dinsdale in a report to his colleagues; because it diverts \$180,000 worth of construction work from this city to points elsewhere in the Province.

Apparently no new arguments were advanced by the aldermen at last night's meeting. We presume, therefore, that the original objection of possible loss was the factor which influenced the Council in its final decision. We quite agree that any action on the part of the aldermen which seeks to avoid doubtful obligations is good business. Moreover, it is quite possible that there would be a loss in connection with the housing scheme were it adopted here, although we are inclined to believe it would be exceedingly small. But the repatriation of the returned soldier should not be placed in the doubtful risk category; it is a national, provincial, civic and even an individual responsibility and, therefore, differs materially from the ordinary governmental obligation.

Every city in Canada has a duty to perform in respect of its returned and returning citizens. Victoria is no exception and we dispute the wisdom of the Council's decision to reject the agreement which gave to this city an excellent opportunity to do its part, at small risk, towards providing for its soldier-citizens that measure of comfort and independence which they left when the call to arms was sounded. We trust that even at this late stage the question may be re-opened and the agreement finally accepted.

GILL NET VERSUS SEINE NET.

Nobody respectful of constituted authority believes in infracting law and order as a means of redressing grievances, no matter how real those grievances may appear to be. For that reason it is to be regretted that a state of affairs has developed at Smith's Inlet which already has been marked by the destruction of valuable fishing property. The fact that there is nothing particularly new in the feud between the gill net and the seine net fishermen is no guarantee that conflicts will not grow sharper. Conditions governing fishing enterprise at Quashella Creek and in the waters adjacent to Smith's Inlet apparently demand prompt alteration if serious trouble is to be avoided.

In the reports from the fishermen to the Provincial Commissioner of Fisheries it is easy to detect keen disappointment on the part of the gill net men over the fact that promises made to them by the Fishery Inspector for the district have not been followed by action at Ottawa leading to absolute abolition of the seine net in these waters. The assertion is made by these men that each year they have been told that the following year would

see an end to their grievance, but the following year has witnessed the re-issuance of the seine license. So far there is no assurance from the Dominion Department of Fisheries that seining operations will be discontinued except for the years 1920 and 1921, and the fishermen are suspicious that the Ottawa authorities do not mean what they say. In any case, it is to be hoped that further friction will be avoided, more particularly as the seine net men and the gill net men are nearly all returned soldiers.

Rising out of the Smith's Inlet incident, however, is the old question of provincial control of fisheries. This is a matter in which the Legislature found themselves greatly divided, but not on occasion during the last session. As far as this Province is concerned its authorities could look after this Province's fishing industry better than Ottawa is able to do it. With control from Victoria, the Provincial Commissioner and his expert assistant, Mr. Babcock, would be able to deal with this valuable natural resource much more effectively than is the case at present.

AFGHANS STILL FIGHTING.

Despite the fact that bombing aeroplanes and a variety of the very latest fighting inventions have been used against the Afghan tribesmen in Britain's newest frontier campaign, the Amir's soldiers have succeeded in capturing a convoy and two guns from the British Expeditionary Force in the fighting which followed the recent lull. Four British officers were killed and casualties among the Indian ranks amounted to about 100. While there is nothing to occasion alarm, because British troops stationed on the northwest frontier of India would catch cold were it not for a frequent brush with the various hillmen, the renewed courage shown by the forces of the new Amir suggests that Teuton machinations which failed with the late Habibullah Khan have found a willing tool in his successor. It was recently suggested that the Afghan commander's appeal for an armistice was a ruse to gain time. In the light of recent events the suspicion was well founded. Amanullah Khan, however, should call off his game before R-33 makes her trip to India. A twelve-hour cruise over the Khyber Pass region might cause a lot of damage to the Amir's subjects and his and their property if it were accompanied by the dropping of a dozen or so of bombs.

A MINIMUM PRICE.

An Ottawa dispatch a few days ago predicted the fixing of a minimum price for wheat in a few days. The idea of fixing a minimum price, the dispatch explained, was "to give stability to the financing of the crop and to safeguard prices from too violent speculation." The minimum price, the report added, would be guaranteed to dealers, bankers and others interested in the crop movement. "All right; but what guarantee is going to be provided for the consumers? Is it to be a case of a substantial minimum for the producers, dealers and bankers and a sky-high limit for the purchasers of wheat and wheat products?

HUN'S TRAIL IN FRANCE.

According to expert information disclosed in the French Chamber of Deputies the total damage done by Germany in the invaded districts of France amounts to 200,000,000,000 francs or \$40,000,000,000. The amount charged against Germany in the Peace Treaty for reparation is \$25,000,000,000, in which France, Belgium, Great Britain and other Allied nations which suffered from German aggression are to share. Germany made war deliberately and wantonly upon France after threatening her for forty years. Whatever else she may be forced to do she should have to make good the entire damage she did to both France and Belgium if it should take her a hundred years to square the account.

WHO WAS IT?

The Montreal Star demands the official seal of the person responsible "for the miserable mix-up in London which almost cut Canada out of the great Victory parade. At best," our contemporary says, "this unfortunate business was due to an exhibition of stupidity for which somebody's head should fall." We doubt if it was merely a case of stupidity. It was due probably to the undercurrent of jealousy and intrigue which has been flowing through the Canadian military administration overseas for a long time, some of which, it is well known, has been directed against Sir Arthur Currie. It is time the searchlight was thrown upon this whole business, and it will be the duty of members of Parliament to insist upon this when both Houses have been called into session again.

MAKE IT UNFASHIONABLE.

"If war is to be abolished," said Mr. Lloyd George in the House of Commons yesterday, "it must be treated, not as an honorable game with the prospect of personal glory, but as a crime. That is why we decided that the author of this war should be tried." The Prime Minister there laid his finger on the heart of the whole question. Brand war as a monstrous crime and the authors of war as monstrous criminals and it will eventually cease to be fashionable. After duelling was made a crime in England and parties who participated in that form of entertainment began to be hauled into the police court and were introduced to the re-creation of the tread-mill and the rock-pile, it gradually went out of date.

Unless other branches throughout the Province alter their decision the Victoria branch of the Provincial Civil Service Association will stand alone at the forthcoming provincial gathering to be held in Vancouver as an advocate of affiliation with the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada. Victoria, of course, has the advantage of membership, but the various provincial branches appear to consider the principle involved as of sufficient importance to justify their objection to affiliation at this stage. Saturday's sessions should provide an interesting debate in regard to the Civil Service and its future status in the Province.

Trend of Opinion Toward Taxation of Improvements Shown in Council Debate

Minority, Though Defeated, Puts Up Strong Case for Remedy in Critical Financial Position — Tax Rate Slightly Increases

The corporation at present is in a grave financial position. It is time the civic authorities summoned up sufficient courage to face the situation and prevent disaster by imposing a tax on improvements. Such, in effect, were the contentions of Alderman Sargent and of a minority of aldermen advanced when the City Council considered the tax rate and similar questions last night. The fight for the taxation of improvements lost out for the present.

The tax rate, as forecasted recently in these columns, was fixed at 26.85 mills on the dollar, an increase of 1.85 mills over last year's rate. The rate, as embodied in the Tax By-Law, read last night, is made up as follows: General, 7.8 mills; payment of principal and interest, 10.75 mills; board of health and hospitals, .90 mills; schools, 7.6 mills.

Significance of Tax Sale.

When the discussion of taxation commenced, Alderman Fullerton declared that, in his opinion, not one member of the Council would vote for the taxation of improvements.

This idea was quickly dispelled by Alderman Sargent.

"In the recent tax sale," said the alderman, who is chairman of the Finance Committee, "there was \$900,000 in delinquent taxes involved. That showed us that the city is in a most serious financial position, and has got to that point by the actions of the council of previous years. But it is time we faced the music and did something, and I tell you gentlemen that if we delay any longer the people of this city will come to the end. Just for a moment consider the significance of that tax sale: the private ownership of \$900,000 destroyed."

"We can adopt an easy course of continuing to levy on land alone," continued Alderman Sargent, "and by so doing we will offend no one. We hate to rub anyone the wrong way. But the system of levying taxes that we have been following for so long has been proved disastrous by the recent tax sale."

A Logical Position.

The Provincial Government, Alderman Sargent reminded his colleagues, had promised to take into consideration this summer the whole question of municipal taxation. The Government would doubtless act as the city, the aldermen pursued, to what advantage it had used the powers of taxation already given it. You never heard of using these powers by taxing improvements to the utmost limit allowed by provincial legislation. But Victoria would have to admit to the Government that it was not using its powers. It would be logical for the Government to reply, thought Alderman Sargent, that when the city had made full use of the powers it possessed, then it would be time enough to consider any taxation of the people.

"Oh I know it's very nice to continue this scheme of taxing away and offending no one," continued the Alderman. "But the city's bonds have to be met and the officials' salaries have to be paid—and the present system is not paying."

Income Taxes.

"Well, if you tax improvements," replied Alderman Johns, "the money comes out of the same pocket which pays the land tax. "When the city removed the former tax on improvements immediately building took a spurt which, of course, was a very great advantage. Putting on the improvement tax will naturally have an opposite effect. As a matter of fact, if the Provincial Government would only pass legislation allowing us to tax income we would be all right. As it is we have Chinamen and young men from other cities, from other provinces, from other countries coming here and working here and paying absolutely no taxes."

"I prefer hard facts to Alderman John's nice speech," answered Alderman Sargent, continuing his fight for improvement taxes, "and I admit that it would be foolish to tax improvements in rural districts where it is always advisable to encourage the building of houses. But, in answer to Alderman Johns' argument for an income tax, doesn't an eight-story building in the business section produce income, and big income? Why not tax it then? No, we have got to face the situation, and that move and have been I have not altered my opinions."

The Alderman seems to be wedded to his idols," replied Alderman Patrick. "He evidently formed his ideas on the subject years ago, and now he simply won't change them. But you can look at ten cents for 100 years, and it won't change to a \$1. No, we have got to tax improvements."

"We're playing with fire," Alderman Sargent emphasized. "We are in a serious position."

The vote on the proposed taxation of improvements was then put to the Council. The party composed of Alderman Sargent, Patrick, Clark and Sangster, who favored improvement taxation lost out.

It is provided in the new by-law that the rates and taxes shall be due and payable to the city on October 31. The taxes unpaid on December 31 shall bear interest thereafter until paid in full, at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum. On November 31, 15 per cent. of the amount of the current year's taxes imposed and unpaid shall be added to the amount of such unpaid taxes, including sewer rentals and many other lawful taxes.

CITY GETS DESIRED SANITARY POWERS

The civic authorities have learned that they have been vested with the power to enforce all sanitary regulations allowed by the Provincial Government.

Some time ago the City Council urged the Government to confer upon it formally the power to enforce certain regulations which up to this time, it could not control. The Government, by an Order-in-Council dated July 7, has conferred the desired authority upon the city.

Taxed Out of Existence.

"The land," declared Alderman Patrick, "is being taxed out of existence. You know as well as I do that ninety-nine per cent. of the land offered for sale at the tax sale had to be taken over by the city. Mark that—ninety-nine per cent. Business men to-day know that the wisdom in this town because of the heavy taxation on it, but there is quite a movement going on in the sale of improved property. Why not transfer some of the burden? We have got to find revenue somewhere. We cannot get it off the land any longer. We should levy a tax on a proportion of the improvements."

"What is not that the Government had promised to take the whole question of taxation into review, Alderman Sangster agreed. "I would be inclined to support Alderman Sargent's contention."

"But as it is I think we had better leave the taxation of improvements over until the Government considers the problem. But we will do it," added the Alderman, "if something has got to be done."

"What if the Government fails to make any changes in the system of municipal taxation?" asked Alderman Patrick. If this happened, he reminded the Council, the city would be in an bad position as ever."

The Alderman's speech was received with a hearty round of applause.

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BUSINESS POPULATION

SHOWS BIG INCREASE

Wrigley's New Directory Contains Interesting Information on Growth of City

According to Wrigley's British Columbia Directory for 1919, which has just come off the presses, the business population of Victoria and Vancouver Island shows a tremendous increase over the previous year. In 1918 the record of the business population of this city was contained in forty-one pages, but this year's directory requires 102 pages of the same size.

The record of the business population of Vancouver and the Mainland showed remarkable increases, but did not attain the same proportions as this section of the Province.

The directory represents a year's work by a staff of twenty, including several old-timers of British Columbia. Owing to the "flu" epidemic the upper country had to be canvassed three times. With the idea of advertising British Columbia abroad as well as at home, the directory is being distributed free copies of the work to boards of trade, libraries, consultancies, Canadian train representatives, certain hotels and the reconstruction committees working in France and Belgium. The result of the propaganda last year, according to Mr. Wrigley, was a large number of inquiries from investors both in the United States and Great Britain.

The third section is a classified business directory of the Province which places firms under several hundred different headings, while the last section is a unique directory of trade names arranged so that a knowledge of a trade mark or brand may lead to the discovery of the name and address of the owner.

The combined year book and business directory is a concise and useful compilation of information on every phase of industrial activity all over British Columbia. The first of four sections is a 100-page year book containing not only a list of the ministers and departmental officials of the Province but a synopsis of the jurisdiction of each department, of the functions of nearly every important official and a summary of important legislation on prohibition, public utilities, etc. There is also a fairly complete history of the Province well ill-

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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Singing Frog

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(By Howard R. Garis.)

Once upon a time, as Uncle Wiggily, the bunny rabbit, was hopping through the woods, not far from his hollow stump bungalow, he came to a little green pond of water. In the edge of the pond, near the grassy bank, stood a little froggie boy, a sort of cousin to Bubly and Bawly No-Tail, the frog chaps. The little green frog chap was puffing out his throat, until it looked like a bubble you can blow with a pipe and some soapy water.

"Why, little frog, what are you trying to do?" asked Uncle Wiggily, as he hopped along. "Are you trying to puff yourself up, to see how big you can make yourself?"

"No, indeed," answered the little frog boy. "But I am trying to sing."

"To sing?" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily. "I never knew that frogs could sing. I have heard Bubly and Bawly No-Tail croak, but I never heard them sing."

"Well," said the little frog boy, "I never heard a frog sing, either, but the birds that come to this little pond; they can sing, and I don't see why I can't sing, too. I'm going to keep on trying until I can."

Then he raised himself up on his tippy toes, puffed out the skin of his throat until it looked like two bubbles and made a funny noise like a rusty door hinge dancing with the porch hinge."

"Ho! Ho! Do you call that singing?" asked a little toad boy, hopping through the grass.

"It isn't singing as yet, but maybe I shall sing some day," said the froggie boy, and he tried harder than ever.

"I don't know what to do about that boy of mine," said Mr. Frog to Uncle Wiggily, as the rabbit gentleman hopped around to the other side of the pond. "He says he is going to learn to sing like the birds, and mother or I can say will change him. Instead of learning to swim and pull up green weeds from the bottom of the pond."



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SOCIAL PERSONAL

Blanche Boyd returned on Monday from an extensive tour of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Farber have left Brentwood for a short yachting trip.

A. H. Priest, of St. Catherines, Ontario, is staying at the Empress Hotel.

S. B. Coon, of Puyallup, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

John and Mrs. H. L. Tomlin, of Kansas City, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Captain and Mrs. H. M. Wheeler, of Washington, D. C., have arrived in the city.

A party of tourists in the city yesterday was headed by Edwin C. Atkinson, of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harris, of Memphis, Tenn., are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. A. A. Harvey, of this city, is visiting in Vancouver as the guest of Mrs. W. H. Harvey, River Road.

Mrs. Janion, of Victoria, is visiting her son, H. C. Janion, and Mrs. Janion at Earl's Road, South Vancouver.

Dr. Paul Higgins has returned from Seattle where he attended the annual meeting of the Northwest Medical Association.

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FINAL REPORT OF PATRIOTIC FUND

Provincial Branch Received
Generous Support. Public
Contributions Now Cease

The fourth and final annual report of the Canadian Patriotic Fund has just been published, and in the foreword the Lieutenant-Governor, as chairman of the British Columbia branch, says in part:

"The Canadian Patriotic Fund has played a very important part in Canadian war effort. It not only saved our country a very large addition to the national debt, but it has also rendered in an intelligent manner financial and sympathetic assistance to the dependents of our soldiers and sailors."

"Now that the war is over, it must be a source of great gratification to all who have supported this fund that there was such a valuable channel through which individual and voluntary support could be given by those who, for any reason, were unable to take part in the actual fighting of the great war and who still desired to 'do their bit.'

B. C. Share.

"Owing to the large enlistment of some 50,000 men in this Province, with a total population of 400,000, there was a larger proportion of dependents to be provided for than in any of the other Provinces. The disbursements amount to \$5,729,188.60, of which \$3,352,527.85 was contributed voluntarily by our citizens. In view of this splendid showing, may we not look forward with hope and confidence to the future, with the hope that our people will unselfishly and whole-heartedly endeavor to work together for the upbuilding of our country?"

Contributions Cease.

In presenting the complete report covering the period from August, 1914, to March 31, 1919, the Executive Committee of the B. C. Branch announces that no further contributions will be required from the public. The report goes on:

"It is also with feelings of gratification that we are able to announce that in all probability there will be in the hands of the National Treasurer, after all of our soldiers have returned from overseas and have received their discharge, a substantial balance which will probably be available for assisting the families of discharged overseas soldiers who have met with misfortune or who have been placed in financial straits through illness or other causes over which they have had no control."

"Notwithstanding the very long and trying period during which contributions could be called upon to support this and other war funds, the contributions for the fiscal year ending March 31, while not as large as in former years, were very substantial, being as follows:

Provincial points	\$326,783.49
Victoria	123,115.25
Vancouver	209,675.05
Total	\$679,573.59

Generous Support.

"The total contributions since the beginning amounted, in British Columbia, to the splendid sum of \$3,352,527.85. Against this we have disbursed for assistance to dependent families and for administration expenses, \$5,729,188.60, or \$2,375,950.75 more than was contributed in the Province, the difference being supplied from the Central Treasury at Ottawa. The disbursements for the year

ending March 31st were \$1,787,996.38, being \$120,488.58 less than the year previous. This reduction is owing to the large number of soldiers returned from overseas. The disbursements being put through at the present time are about 29 per cent per month."

"The number of families receiving grants in the Province at the end of our fiscal year was 5,295 as against 5,761 at the end of March last year."

"The average allowances per month per family up to the end of 1918 was about \$21. Owing to certain increased grants this advanced during the first part of 1919, to about \$22.50, and in November further increases were authorized, bringing the average grant since that date to \$25.50. This increase, in conjunction with the special increase in separation allowances granted by the Government, was made necessary by the increased cost of living, and, so far as we are able to ascertain, the combined Government and patriotic increases fully met the situation and gave general satisfaction to the dependents of our soldiers."

At Low Cost.

"As in the past, the cost of administration has been kept down to a minimum, being 1/4 of 1 per cent per annum after taking into account the interest earned on credit balances, and in this connection we take this opportunity of expressing to all of those in the Province who were directly or indirectly connected with the management of the fund our grateful thanks and appreciation for the services rendered, which alone made it possible to carry through this successful conclusion this very important and somewhat difficult undertaking."

"In September, 1915, British Columbia had fifty-one branches. At the close of the current year there were 198 organized branches and corresponding committees. We have been asked by the National Executive to carry on the work of administration in the past, and all of our soldiers have returned and have received their discharge. We, in turn, extend the same request to the representatives of the fund at all points in the Province of British Columbia. The work in connection with the administration will be very much less than formerly owing to the discontinuance of contributions, and, in addition, the rapid discharge of our soldiers."

STAN YOUNG RETURNS

Left as Sergeant in 67th Battalion, and Comes Home as Captain in Y. M. C. A.

Capt. Stanley Young who left here with the 67th Battalion and later transferred to the Y. M. C. A. corps, has returned to this city. Efforts are now being made by the local association to secure his services.

Capt. Young left here as a sergeant with the Western Stars and after a short spell in England proceeded to France with the unit. He carried on the Y. M. C. A. work with the battalion and made an enviable name for himself during the hard fighting on the Somme in the summer of 1916. The dilapidated hut which he established in the forward area was finally located by the Boche and blown up.

In December, 1917, Capt. Young was sent to Blighty to take out a commission in the Y. M. C. A., and on returning to France was attached to the Fourth Division, with which he served until it was broken up in Belgium this year.

Another of the old Y. M. C. A. boys who has just returned to this city is "Tommy" Pascoe, who left here early in 1916 with a draft for the medical corps. He saw several years' service in France and Belgium.

A WANDERING CROWN.

The Crown of Hungary, which is said to have been offered to Prince Alexander of Serbia, was once within an ace of coming to England.

In 1848, when Kossuth struck a blow for liberty, he caused the ancient crown of Hungary to be given into his custody, and when compelled to flee, tried to carry it with him. His intention was to bring it to London, but when in danger of capture he buried it near Orsova.

There it remained until 1853, when he made an attempt to have it unearthed and sent to him. Unfortunately the secret leaked out and the Austrian Government were beforehand in excavation.—Tit-Bits.

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Short pants. All are suitably trimmed. Splendid value. To fit boys 3 to 7 years. Price \$3.50



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Navy blue trimmed red; sizes 6 to 14 years, \$1.00. Larger sizes, \$1.50

BOYS' KHAKI DRILL TROUSERS

Soldiers of the Soil make, to fit boys 9 to 14 years. Pair \$1.60

BOYS' WHITE DUCK TROUSERS

In good heavy material, to fit boys 9 to 14 years. Pair \$2.75

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English flannel. A few pairs only; sizes 9 to 12 years. Pair \$5.00

BOYS' KHAKI COTTON KNICKERS

Straights only; good heavy material; 3 pockets, buttons and belt loops; all sizes. Pair \$1.50

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Collars attached. Well made and dependable; sizes 12 to 14 1/2 in. neck. Price \$1.25

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'OOK FOR CHAUTAUQUA TO BE GREAT SUCCESS

F. E. Lukens States That Excellent Programme Is Expected Here This Week

"The Chautauqua which will come here this week," said F. E. Lukens, Director of the Ellison White Chautauqua system, who is now in Victoria completing arrangements for the programme to commence on Friday "has been presented throughout the entire circuit during the last four months and has been a great success." Mr. Lukens stated support has been better than in any previous season, and proceeded: "We are looking to Victoria to be one of the most successful Chautauquas. We have just come from operating in every large city on the Pacific Coast. In every city the Chautauqua has been received with great enthusiasm. As the accompanying programme will show some changes have been made in view of a visit to a Canadian town."

Friday.

Evening—Opening exercises and announcements. Musical Fun Programme.

McDonough-Eagleton Co.; Lecture, "The Riddle of the Russian Revolution," Dr. Joseph Clare.

Saturday.

Morning—Lecture, Chautauqua Director; Junior Chautauqua. Afternoon, Entertainment, Apollo Concert Co.; Junior Chautauqua. Evening—Concert, Apollo Concert Co.; Illustration, "The Days of the War," Henry Warren Poor.

Tent pitched at park grounds, east of Empress Hotel.

Seats may be reserved in advance from Fletcher Brothers at an additional charge for the season. M. C. Reed, who will be the director here will have later on a lecturing tour for the Ellison White circuit in Australia. He is one of the leading men of this organization's circuit.

Sunday.

Morning—Lecture, "Madame France," Miss R. Louise Fitch; Junior Chautauqua. Afternoon—Prelude, Recital Artists; Entertainment, Elsie Mae Gordon, Impersonator. Evening—Musical, Mary Adel Hays, Coloratura Soprano, assisted by Recital Artists; Lecture, "Present Labor Conditions," Dida M. Tarbell.

Tuesday—"Music Day."

Morning—Junior Chautauqua. Afternoon—Concert, Cimera's Czech-Slovak Band. Evening—(a) Grand Concert, Cimera's Czech-Slovak Band; (b) Bohemian Folk Songs, Mme. Cafarelli, assisted by Czech-Slovak Band.

Wednesday.

Morning—Junior Chautauqua. Afternoon—Prelude, The Regniers; Lecture, "Misunderstood Mexico," W. L. Meltinger. Evening—Prelude, The Regniers.

GOOD COMEDY AT

PANTAGES THEATRE

High Class Song and Dance Revue Is Topliner of Excellent Bill

Another elaborate Pepple-Greenwald production is the outstanding offering in this week's bill at the Pantages Theatre. The "Revue de Lux" is aptly described as a "whirl of song, dance and music" and is a high class vaudeville act stamped with the hall-mark of success.

The half dozen girls introduce a repertory of popular songs, a variety of musical numbers and dancing novelties. Harry Sigman is the lone male member of the cast who plays acceptably on the piano.

Peggy McIntosh is a petite and pleasing little lady who makes a distinct hit with her dancing, songs and impersonations. The solo dance of Sue Vollmar is something new and the dance Eccentric by the Moran Sisters is a version of the famous contortion. The act is prettily staged and every number is of the acceptable order.

The George Primrose Minstrels are back with a new line of jokes and songs. The minstrel numbers include singing, dancing, choruses, bones, tambourine playing and other excellent features. This famous minstrel troupe is always sure of a good reception over the vaudeville circuits.

Vic Leroy and Jackie Prender are latest novelties. This team puts over a lot of wholesome comedy and is repeatable for a hilarious time.

Eric Randall, possessor of a fine tenor voice, contributes a number of operatic solos. His vocal efforts were greatly appreciated at the opening shows and the singer was repeatedly called to acknowledge the plaudits of a delighted audience. The tenor is ably assisted by Stewart Kyle at the piano.

Willie Booth is a dainty banjoist, who makes an excellent impression.

Jack Booth and Happy Leander present a comedy bicycle act. The comedian is a laugh generator, while the trick cyclist performs some neat stunts on the wheel and terminates the act with a sensational leap.

The ninth episode of "The Man of Might," the thrilling serial film showing at the Pantages, is the opener to an excellent vaudeville show.

The Cheatres

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Pantages—Vaudeville.

Dominion—Marguerite Clark in "Let's Elope."

Variety—Marion Davies in "The Belle of New York."

Royal Victoria—Charles Ray in "Greased Lightning."

Columbia—Thomas A. Edison's production, "The Unbeliever," and Vitagraph serial, "A Fight for Millions."

Romano—William Russell in "Brass Buttons," and Pearl White in "The Lightning Raider."

DOMINION

Unusually ornate and massive sets, the like of which are seldom erected for motion picture plays, were prepared especially for Marguerite Clark's new photoplay, "Let's Elope," which will be presented at the Dominion Theatre all week. These include drawing room with a great fireplace in which real fire is burning and appointments in the way of furniture and the like which were made exclusively for this photoplay.

The interior of a luxurious bungalow living room is one of the most artistic sets ever used in pictures. A large winding stairway leading to a balcony overhead is hung with skins, rugs and other trophies of the hunt. A large rock fireplace was specially built so that a real fire could be used. The leaping flames give a realistic touch heretofore unknown.

The massive furniture, leather upholstering, rugs, walls lined with books and cozy reading lamps, make this an enviable place to look upon.

Another set that is attractive and unusual is the drawing room used by the "wamp" in the story. The furniture was specially built by one of the exclusive furniture dealers on Fifth Avenue, New York. The design of the French Fleur de lis and bowknot traced through the heavy draperies and silk wall coverings is also carried out in the decorative scheme on the furniture. The color scheme is a fascinating shade, of purple, while the lamp shades, heavy window draperies and upholstering are done in antique gold. The effect generally is soothing and restful.

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ROYAL VICTORIA

Admirers of Charles Ray who were worked up to a high pitch of enthusiasm by the baseball game in "The Pinch Hitter," will find special delight in the new Thomas H. Ince Paramount production, "Greased Lightning," which will be presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre again tonight.

In this photoplay Mr. Ray becomes a speed demon and the climax of the picture is the race in which the racing of his own make run down the villain who has beaten and debranded the father of the sweethearts of the hero. The name of the story is derived from a racing auto, and Mr. Ray plays the part of the village blacksmith, who is the inventive genius of the community.

He has already won considerable notoriety by his seamstress noise-bag, the Imperial axle grease, the non-slip hitching post and the Little Giant potato slicer, when he builds "Greased Lightning," with a view to winning the big automobile race. When the race starts his auto balks. He gets out and pushes it, just in time to start out and overtake the villain fast disappearing over the brow of a hill in a powerful six-cylinder car.

PRINCESS

Miss Eva Hart will star in "Tantalizing Tommy," the comedy to be produced at the Princess Theatre on Friday evening next. She will be supported by a strong cast of local talent, including Reginald Denny, Miss Stephen A. M. D. Fairbairn, James Hunter and others. The play is of the light comedy type, scintillating with "bon mots" and full of lively action. It will be preceded by a curtain-raiser entitled "Kitty Clive."

VARIETY

"The Belle of New York," in which Select Pictures present Marion Davies, affords everyone a wonderful opportunity to see the world-renowned beauties of the Ziegfeld Midnight Frolic. All—whether they have lived in Oshkosh or Paris—have heard but have not seen. Select Pictures now gives them the opportunity of seeing these stunning, charming, beautiful, graceful girls. "The Belle of New

YORK" which will be seen at the Variet

y this week, contains several cabaret scenes in which all the beauties of the Ziegfeld Frolic participate. Beautiful Marion Davies, with the most beautiful group of girls in the world as a background in a world famous production, makes "The Belle of New York" one of the most charming and wonderful pictures that has ever been produced on the screen.

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youth. These redeeming qualities sweep him into the chaos of war. In the white heat of stupendous happenings his soul is cleansed and he emerges with the love of humanity which is the very essence of democracy. No one characterization makes "The Unbeliever" one of the best of the many war films. It is the combination of story, war pictures and atmosphere that have won it an interest. The war scenes were filmed at the United States Marine Corps cantonment at Quantico. Hundreds of marines are seen in the drama. "The Unbeliever" is an adaptation of "The Three Fins," a novel by Mary Raymond Shipman Andrews, and was produced by Thomas A. Edison in conjunction with the United States Marine Corps.

DOMINION TO-DAY

MARGUERITE CLARK

IN "LET'S ELOPE" COMEDY—SCENIC

COMING NEXT WEEK

Mary Pickford IN Daddy Longlegs

ROMANO TO-DAY WILLIAM RUSSELL in "Brass Buttons"

COLUMBIA TO-DAY "The Unbeliever" Also WILLIAM DUNCAN in "The Fight for Millions"

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ROYAL VICTORIA TO-DAY "THE BELLE OF NEW YORK"

Ever hear the story of the maniac who, after chasing a scared visitor over the asylum grounds for two hours, was found to be merely playing "tag"? A boy—new version of that mythical situation furnishes the tag to William Russell's latest feature play, "Brass Buttons," which was shown at the Romano yesterday. Russell looks handsomer than ever in the uniform of a New York "cop," assumed by way of scraping up a friendship with a pretty girl whom he has glimpsed in the Fifth Avenue crowd he follows about. He thinks her a lady's maid, whereas, in reality, she is the maid's lady. She thinks him a policeman, although he belongs to the city's smartest set. However, each finds the other wholly delightful, and both think hard about wedding bells long before the chapter of revelations is reached.

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103rd Batt. Timber Wolves Club—Dinner at Empress postponed until further notice.

Tenders Sincere Thanks—The Peace Day Committee extends its sincere thanks to all those who participated in the celebration on Saturday.

Replica of Arc de Triomphe—The realistic replica of the Arc de Triomphe, which adorned the float representing France, and was guarded by two pollus, in Saturday's parade, was made by carpenters of the Foundation Company.

Tenders Thanks—The Committee of Management of the British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home tender their thanks to Mr. Ken Gledhill of Outer Point, for his donation of seventy dollars, the proceeds of a dance, and Mrs. J. H. Kirby and Mrs. T. Cross, who assisted her.

Picnic Baskets, 15¢ to \$1.75; picnic grids for boiling your kettle on. S. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

Dance at Cadboro Bay Hotel, Thursday, July 24. Heaton's orchestra.

Marinelli—Children's hairdressing shop for girls and boys. Phone 2477; fifth floor, 518 Bayard Bldg.

Is Your Friend to Be Married?—Give her a pretty piece of china for a present. Berry sets, \$3; chocolate sets, \$3.75; tea sets, \$2.25 to \$10.50; cake plates, 60¢; bon bap dishes, 25¢ to \$1.50. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

Will Aid Entertainment—Committees of the Victoria Board of Trade will assist in the entertainment of the Editorial Convention here on August 17 to 19. The reception committee of the Board is as follows: S. Williams, chairman; Arthur Coles, J. Kingham, A. T. Goward, J. F. Scott. The city affairs committee is composed of: G. I. Warren, Frank Gholma, M. P. P.; F. B. Scurrah, A. McCorkindale and H. S. Stevenson.

Next Wednesday Afternoon, July 23—Garden fete and bazaar at "Gonzales," Rockland Avenue. Punch and Judy show, cafe chantant and other attractions. Proceeds for Christ Church Canadian funds (taxes, etc.). Admission 25¢.

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ALDERMAN DESCRIBES AMENDMENT AS "BUNK"

That Is What Alderman Sangster Called New Regulations
Regarding Roller Skates

"It's bunk!" That was how Alderman Sangster last night expressed his opinion of an amendment to the Streets Regulations. By law whereby children would be prevented from using velocipedes, scooters and other similar vehicles on Victoria streets between the curbs.

Alderman Patrick, chairman of the Legislative Committee, which framed the amendment, objected to Alderman Sangster's opposition and said it was "going too far."

"Indeed it is," agreed Alderman Andreos. "This is most serious for an alderman to use an expression like 'bunk.' I think the Mayor should use his powers and reprimand the Alderman. I may have been unparliamentary in my time and used unparliamentary expressions, but 'bunk' never!"

"Alderman Sangster will probably feel better now he has it off his chest," answered the Mayor.

Alderman Fullerton feared that the amendment would interfere with the free use of bicycles, and he warmly advised that he had said he had wanted children to be killed on the streets.

Alderman Sargent thought that the city would be going too far if it prohibited children roller skating on the pavements, but other members of the Council feared that many accidents were likely to occur unless stricter regulations were enforced.

Alderman Dinsdale agreed with this idea, and said he could see motorists going sixty miles an hour any day on the streets.

"To turn down this amendment is manslaughter," urged Alderman Andreos.

No definite action was taken on the matter, which has been dragging on for some time.

NATIONAL PARKS TOUR PARTY COMING

Brooklyn Eagle Excursion Will Reach Victoria on August 10

Sunday has become of all days in the week this season the favored one for parties to visit here en route eastward or southward, when the stay in Victoria is limited to a few hours.

One of the parties is timed to reach the citadel of the afternoon of August 10 after an extensive tour in the United States. It is the Brooklyn Eagle National Parks Tour, occupying one month, which left home on Friday, and will make an extended tour in the Western States. To-day the party is at Colorado Springs, proceeding to Denver, where the Governor of Colorado and other officials are entertained.

By invitation of the Secretary of the Interior (Mr. Lane) The Brooklyn Eagle party in this tour inaugurates the Government automobile service, connecting Denver, Rocky Mountain, Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

The tour is arranged by H. V. Kaltborn, Assistant Managing Editor of The Eagle. Clarence A. Hebb, City Editor, also acts as recorder, and three other Eagle men are with the party.

The approximate distance the party will travel is 4,330 miles by rail, 1,600 miles by motor, and 700 by boat.

The following who were members of the 1915 party to the Panama Pacific Exposition are with The Eagle party this year: Judge William D. Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Hartigan, Mr. Fred G. John, John N. May, Dr. and Mrs. Henry B. Minton, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Musson and Mr. and Mrs. Winant B. Wardell.

Notice of their prospective arrival here was received to-day by C. L. Harris, Secretary of the Island Automobile Association.

Dedicated Tablet.—In the presence of a large congregation the Bishop of Columbia last night at St. Barnabas Church dedicated the brass memorial or tablet to the memory of the men of the parish who gave their lives in the great war. The tablet is the work of George Crowther of this city, the oak frame having been made by F. W. T. Baker.

Great War Next-Of-Kin will meet in United Service Club on Thursday evening at 7.30 for business meeting.

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To Attend Funeral—Mr. and Mrs. George Bell left for Vancouver this afternoon. Mr. Bell will attend the funeral to-morrow at Mt. Pleasant Church of the late Rev. A. M. Miller, President of the B. C. Methodist Conference.

CASH AND CARRY

HOUSING SCHEME IS FINALLY REJECTED

Alderman Johns Blames News-papers for Pro-paganda

Victoria's returned soldiers will get no assistance in securing houses for themselves and their families as far as the city is concerned. After resuming its weekly discussion of the Housing Scheme last night, the City Council finally resolved not to accept its housing allocation.

Discussion of the Housing Scheme was provoked at the Council meeting last night by a report from Alderman Dinsdale, already published in these columns, urging that the city accept its allocation in view of the immediate need for housing accommodation.

Alderman Johns declared that houses could be rented in the city.

The Times and Colonist were responsible for the housing agitation. "There are not one alderman," said Alderman Johns, "but wants to help the returned man if it is up to the city to do it. But we contend that it is up to the Government. It's not a business proposition, this scheme. We have got to spend the city's money to the interest of the public at large. Many of the returned men would carry out their obligations, but some of them would not. And they would be in the houses for some time. Could we dispossess them of their houses? It would not be a popular move."

Alderman Sargent favored another attempt to get the Provincial Government to shoulder the responsibility for the money involved.

"That's hopeless," replied Alderman Sangster. "They will not alter their terms one iota."

"I know it's not good business to accept this scheme," said Alderman Patrick, "but it was not good business to pay for the peace celebration either. But it's just a question whether or not we should help the returned man at the possible loss of money or not."

"We are justified in refusing the scheme for two reasons," replied Alderman Cameron. "First, because of the legal; second, because of the financial difficulties involved. We are asked to increase our liability to \$180,000 and decrease our credit to that extent. We have financial and legal responsibilities enough without that."

"This whole discussion is out of order," announced Alderman Sangster. "We disposed of the question before. We can't discuss it again without the Mayor posting a motion of motion. This he has not done, and, in fact, the time when he could do it has lapsed."

"Yes, it's out of order Mr. Mayor," agreed Alderman Andreos. "We would like a ruling from you on the matter. We have had very few rulings this year. We should like some before the end of the year."

"I don't see how the city can get the population to pay its taxes without encouraging building," said Alderman Dinsdale, defending his report. "Acceptance of the scheme would simply be a recognition of the soldiers' services."

The matter was finally disposed of when Alderman Dinsdale's report was received and filed.

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WESTS LEADING IN INTERMEDIATE RACE

Inter-City Battle With Nanaimo Good Start For Victoria Players in Mainland Tennis Tourney

Two inter-city games on one day are on the cricketers' schedule for August 2, the main fixture being the second game with the Mainland section and the star players of the Island, while Hubert Lethaby will take an eleven up to Nanaimo to play a return game with the Up-Island team.

The local cricketers will have one defeat to avenge when they meet the Vancouver players, the men from the Terminal City taking the first honors in the series. The close play on the first innings, however, shows the two teams are evenly matched enough for a real battle to be assured at any meeting between the two elevens. The Island team to play against Vancouver will probably be selected this week.

Lethaby's eleven had little difficulty in beating the Nanaimo players at the last meeting, winning by 51 runs in the first innings, and then after making 76 for seven, and declaring their innings closed, dismissed the Nanaimo men for 56.

Games will be played August 2 and August 3 at Nanaimo, Lethaby's eleven being as follows: A. B. Lawrence, J. R. Marion, L. W. Greenhaste, J. Shermer, J. Flinton, N. Hansen, E. D. Freeman, F. Bosom, G. H. Walton and J. Donaldson.

WOULD LIKE ENGLISH ELEVEN TO PLAY HERE

Great Advertising Feature For City, Cricketers Point Out

One of the matters which it is expected will come up for consideration at the next meeting of the Victoria and District Cricket Association is the visit of the Incogniti English eleven to this side of the continent and some of the enthusiastic followers of the English national game in Victoria are hoping that arrangements can be made to induce the eleven to come to this city. As the cricketers point out, it would not only add to the continually increasing popularity of the game, but as an advertising feature for the Island would be one worthy of serious consideration.

The Incogniti Club has accepted the invitation of the Associated Cricket Club, of Philadelphia, to visit that city and compete in several cricket matches.

Sydney Young, secretary of the Associated Cricket Club, received a cablegram from the Incogniti Club officials saying they would visit the Quaker city during the month of September.

While the matter of dates is entirely undecided at present, Mr. Young stated that the English team most likely would meet the Philadelphia Cricket Club, Merion Cricket Club, Frankford Cricket Club and the Germantown Cricket Club to play in the All-Philadelphia Cricket team and teams in New York and Canada.

The Incogniti Club is composed of men who will have seen service in France. All were commissioned officers. The Incogniti Club was the last English cricket team to play in this city. They were over this side in 1913.

The "Inco" when they crossed the continent in 1913, numbered amongst them many famous amateurs. "Mike" Falcon, their chief all-rounder, while he was with the district Cambridge "blue" and he was famous as a "Varsity" captain. The Hon. G. H. Mulholland had gained exactly the same honors. Capt. Tudor, a fine Sussex player, who has been often mentioned in dispatches during the late war, Capt. Sarel, a remarkable Kent batsman, who appeared to be able to hit with certainty almost every variety of bowling were also members of the eleven.

B. J. T. Bosanquet, the cricketer, hits a boundary when he writes of batmen thus: "There is a general and quite mistaken impression that quick scoring is unscientific. The fact is that slow scoring is a sign of incapacity and lack of strokes."

Of the Canadian team which visited England in 1887, D. W. Saunders and R. B. Ferrie's sons were killed in the war. G. G. T. Londsey's son was wounded; the late Dr. E. Russell Ogden's son, who was a prisoner of war in Germany, and R. C. Dickson and C. N. Shand died in the service of their country.

The Nottinghamshire Cricket Club have appointed Lieut. Arthur William Carr, of the Lancers, as their captain in succession to the late Arthur O. Jones.

FIVE DRAWN GAMES

London, July 21.—In cricket matches played last week, Gloucestershire defeated Sussex, 111 and 109, and 145 runs. Dorset, Gloucestershire made 145 runs. All other matches were drawn. Scores follow:

Somerset, 362 (Rippon 134); Essex, 161, and 245 for five.

Yorkshire, 215 and 314 (Denton 110); Leicestershire, 223, and 327 for four.

Warwickshire, 330 and 186 (Parsons 125; Quaife, not out, 102); Northampton, 237 and 31 for two (Haywood, 158).

Nottinghamshire, 291 and 81 for one; Lancashire, 252 and 221 for four (Tyldesley, 122 and 245 for one (Knight 16, Milford 94, Dux 134); Middlesex 56 for nine and 193 for five (Lee 163 and 126, Kidd 100).

OVER HALF THE COURSE

Syracuse, N. Y., July 21.—Mike O'Dowd, of St. Paul, knocked out Young Fisher, of this city, in the fifth round of a scheduled ten-round bout here to-night.

Boston, July 21.—Johnny Dundee was given the decision over Joe Tipps, of Philadelphia, in a twelve-round go-to-night.

ENTRIES COMING IN WELL FOR TIMES' LONG DISTANCE SWIM ON AUGUST 2

Immediately following the announcement of the date for The Times long distance swim the many inquiries received at the office showed that this year's event will be even more popular than the successful race last year, and the entry list will undoubtedly prove bigger than ever. Many of those who took part in the race last year have announced their intention of competing and a representative entry of all the swimming clubs in the city is assured. This year's race will be from the Empress steps to the Gorge landing and return to Curtis Point, where proper arrangements will be made for the care of the swimmers who will successfully accomplish the test of aquatic endurance. Intending competitors are asked to fill out the following entry form and return to this office.

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From Empress Steps to Gorge Landing and return to finishing raft at Curtis Point.

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Return Entry Form to Sporting Editor, Victoria Daily Times. Entries close Friday, July 31.

EVANS MAY PLAY IN VICTORIA LINKS

Is Seriously Considering Tour Right Through to the Coast

Vancouver Players Will Fight to Last at Victoria Saturday

THEIR LAST CHANCE IN MANN CUP RACE

According to Ralf H. Reville, Chick Evans Jr., may be seen swinging his clubs on the Victoria links this season, and if the famous player makes the trip, he anticipates it will be a realization of the hopes which Victoria golfers had last summer. An effort was made to bring him to Victoria about the time the Red Cross tournament was so successfully staged, but Mr. Evans was unable to make a date to fit in.

In an interesting article on with Canada's golfers, however, Mr. Reville states:

It will undoubtedly be good news for golfers of the west and middle west to hear that Mr. Evans tells me he is very seriously considering a golfing tour right through to Victoria next September, probably accompanied by G. S. Lyon.

Evans is again busy helping the Red Cross. The visit to Ontario, Quebec and Newfoundland by a committee of well known amateurs from the United States under the auspices of the Royal Canadian Golf Association and playing in aid of the Red Cross of Canada, was quite one of the features of a particularly busy season. Charles Evans, Jr., open champion and present amateur champion of the states, headed the party. "Chick of the cheery smile" was the favorite, of course, with all the big galleries which followed the experts at Hamilton, Toronto, Rosemont, Ottawa, Royal Ottawa, Royal Montreal at Montreal and St. Andrews, N. B. The champion in spots—many spots—played regular championship golf, as witness his wonderful score of 70 at Hamilton. He is still driving with rhythmic regularity, whilst with the iron he is quite irresistible. But latterly he has again developed a bad putting streak. In the open championship at Brae Burn, his putting cost him the title, and he still has to make all the difference between being in first place or somewhere near it, instead of in tenth. Hagen beating him out by two strokes.

The Last Chance.

If they lose this match the opportunity of retaining the cup on the Mainland will be lost. There is no doubt but that a little royal is in sight, and the strong aggregation of lacrosse players that have been gathered together will be lined up against Ed. Brydgeson's ship-builders.

NATIONALS OUT FOR THEIR SECOND WIN

Will Try to Down Wests Friday in Race For Intermediate Lacrosse Race

TAIL ENDERS TO MEET THE LEAGUE LEADERS

Yarrows Can Win With Proper Generalship, Declare Fans

Yarrows' nine, in the opinion of many of the baseball fans who have watched the city league games, includes the player who will make the best pitcher in the city league before the season closes. In Eddie Brown, Manager Beck has unearthed a young star who only needs a little guidance and experience to make him a top pitcher.

Steady practices by both teams have been held to keep the boys in perfect shape, and with the enthusiasm that they throw into the games the players need to be in the pink of condition to stand the hard play that takes place until the whistle blows for the last time. The Wests still hold the lead in the three-cornered race, but the Nationals' entry promises to cause several changes in the table before the series ends.

Their next game will be against the Foundation team at Royal Athletic Park to-morrow, the game being biffed for 6:45 o'clock.

Although it is a meeting between tail-enders and league leaders, the fans are expecting that some of Yarrows' new material will help them to put up a good fight.

YARROWS PRACTICE

Yarrows' baseball team will hold a practice at the North Ward Park to-night, when all players are asked to turn out by 7 o'clock.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND
DEATHSBORN.
KING.—At Drake, Sask., on 14th inst., to
Mr. and Mrs. A. V. King, of Mitchell
Street, Victoria, a son.DIED.
GRANT.—On the 21st inst., at Vancouver,
Katherine, beloved wife of Donald M. Grant, eldest daughter
of Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Hudson.The funeral will take place on Thursday,
24th, at 2.30 o'clock, from Christ Church
Cathedral.COULTER.—On the 19th inst., accidentally,
Miss Gladys Coulter, eldest daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. H. Coulter, of 1788
Casson Street, aged 20 years, in Wellington,
and a resident of this city for the past six years.
Doris, her twin sister, two others,
of her sudden death will come as a
great shock to her many friends both in
the city and to those who attended
the taught school for the past five years.The remains will repose at the Bands
Funeral Chapel until Wednesday morning,
when they will be removed to the above
residence and at 1.30 o'clock the corse
will proceed to Christ Church Cathedral,
where service will be conducted at 2 o'clock
by Dean C. S. Quinton, Funeral private.
Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.CARD OF THANKS.
Mr. J. H. Christie, Chancery and
Family wish to thank their friends for the
beautiful floral tributes and words of sym-
pathy in their recent bereavement in the
loss of a loving son and brother.AUSTRIANS DO NOT
RELISS SURRENDER
OF LIVESTOCKVienna, July 22.—Vienna is much in-
censed over the stipulation in the articles of the peace treaty just handed to the Austrian delegates that thousands of milch cows be surrendered to Italy, Serbia and Roumania. It is pointed out in this connection that the Allies' food mission knows that hundreds of children are sick from the scarcity of milk, and that many deaths have occurred among them from the same cause.LABORERS GO TO
MANITOBA FARMSWinnipeg, July 22.—Farm help is
being sent out from the Dominion employ-
ment office here in fair numbers. The wages average \$75 a month. Day wages are expected to run \$4 and \$5 for harvest workers. Farmers are ex-
pressing a preference for returned soldiers.

Dominion employment officials state that there will be no shortage of harvest help in this Province provided a reasonable wage is offered, though at present there are many unfilled orders for men in the employment offices.

PHILADELPHIA BANK
CASHIER IN THE TOILS

Philadelphia, July 22.—Ralph T. Moyer, cashier of the North Penn Bank, for whom a warrant had been issued, was arrested to the custody of an attorney here to-day. The bank closed on Friday last owing more than \$100,000 to depositors. Moyer last night confessed to James W. Mace, attorney for the bank, that there was a shortage of \$900,000.

ORGANIZATION OF OIL
RESOURCES OF EMPIRELondon, July 22 (Reuters).—In re-
sponse to a question in the House of
Commons yesterday, Dr. Kellaway
stated that the Government in con-
junction with the Government of the
Overseas Dominions and the Colonies
was considering the advisability of
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through. No words can express our admiration for the patience and devotion of our women and the way in which our people at home backed up those at the front. The test came to Canada unexpectedly, and I doubt if any of us realized how great her sacrifice really was of how little an effort could be made by a country with such a small population. The feelings uppermost in our minds to-day should be rejoicing that victory is really with us after our bitter struggle, thankfulness that we have been able to do our share honorably, and enduring pride in the gallant deeds of our brave troops, which will be an inspiration to all generations of Canadians."

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The heat made rescue work difficult until after the fire department had arrived. It was thirty minutes before the bodies under the craft's fuselage could be dragged out. They were burned beyond recognition. Meanwhile ambulances from every hospital and undertaking establishment near the centre of the city came and the police threw a cordon about the place.

Dozens of persons were found to have been more or less cut by the shower of glass which preceded the explosion.

The cause of the fire which brought the flaming gas bag down is not definitely known. None of the crew could ascribe a definite reason.

An Inquiry.
Chicago, July 22.—Official inquiry

was started to-day by the state attorney to fix responsibility for the explosion and collapse of the dirigible which crashed through the roof of the Illinois Trust & Savings Bank here yesterday afternoon, killing twelve persons and injuring twenty-six. An assistant United States attorney also was assigned to attend the coroner's inquest to-day.

The Treat Case.
In connection with the Treat case, ownership of Vancouver Island foreshores is involved. Mr. Treat staked certain foreshores lands at Chemainus after having obtained from the Province the requisite license to prospect for coal. These foreshores he bonded to Samuel Hill, of Maryhill, Wash., and Mr. Hill proceeded to bore for coal. The Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company stepped in with its claim to ownership of all coal under the foreshore, basing its authority on the conveyance by the Dominion Government to the railway company of such coal rights.

Did Not Belong to Dominion.
The Province contended that the Dominion Government conveyed to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company something which the Province had never conceded. The Dominion Government based upon the general stand taken by the Province in the case went to the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and its judgment went against the company. The Court of Appeal unanimously upheld the judgment of the Supreme Court Judge and the final disposition of the matter by the Privy Council sets at rest the constitutional point involved. In other words, the ownership lies entirely with the Province.

Sevenoak employees of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, of Akron, Ohio, owners of the airship, have been detained pending a decision as to whether charges of criminal carelessness should be laid against them. Among those detained are Jack Boemer, pilot of the dirigible, who escaped by jumping with a parachute, and W. C. Young, in charge of the aeronautic department of the Goodyear Company.

Nine Clerks Killed.
Of the twelve dead, nine were em-
ployees of the bank, and three were
passengers in the airship. Five persons
were in the airship at the time of the
accident and three were wounded. When the balloon crashed through the
skylight of the bank at 5 p.m. more
than 200 employees, mostly girls, were
at work.

Advertising Trip.
The balloon with five passengers
was making its maiden trip over the
city in the interests of an amusement
park. According to witnesses, a spurt
of flame appeared at the stern above
the engine. In a moment there was a
puff of smoke and the flame attacked
the big egg-shaped gas bag. Almost
immediately four parachutes leaped
from the ship. Three got clear of the
burning craft, but the fourth was
caught in the falling balloon and burned
it, its passenger, Carl Weaver, a
mechanic of Akron, plunging to death.

Earl Davenport, publicity manager for
the amusement park and formerly
a sporting writer, did not jump through
the machine. His body was hurled through
the bank roof and burned to crisp.

Back Broken.
The Johnson Street Bridge agree-
ment was the chief matter left over,
and Mayor Porter decided this morn-
ing to call a special meeting on Friday
night to clear up the whole question.

At Friday's special meeting City
Solicitor Hannington will lay before
the Council an agreement which will
embodiment the city's wishes regarding the
cost and maintenance of the bridge.

Practically the only matter of importance
which remains to be decided is the
removal of the present viaduct, which, it is suggested, might be used
to span Rock Bay.

With regard to the disposition of the
old bridge Mayor Porter stated this
morning that nothing had been decided,
and it was impossible to say what
would be done about it.

The time during which the bridge
shall remain closed before and after
the passage of trains has occupied the
attention of the civic authorities late
of the E. & N. Railway Company
suggested that the bridge must be kept
closed twenty minutes before and twenty
minutes after the passage of its trains.

The City Council, however,
replied that this matter would be regu-
lated by the Railway Commission,
which has already fixed the time at
ten minutes.

BAD FOREST FIRES IN
AMERICAN NORTHWEST

Portland, Ore., July 22.—An appeal
to President Wilson to send Federal
troops into the forests of the Pacific
Northwest to help fight fires now
endangering life and property was
made to-day by George M. Cornwall,
editor of The Timberman, a monthly
magazine, published here.

Federal troops are employed suc-
cessfully in Idaho, Montana and
Southern Oregon several years ago,
when they were used in co-operation
with the forest service. Cornwall stated
that there will be no shortage of
help in this Province provided a
reasonable wage is offered, though at
present there are many unfilled orders
for men in the employment offices.

Reports from Pendleton, Ore., re-
ceived to-day told of a forest
fire near the town of Rockwood, near
the southern boundary of Umatilla County,
in the Whitman National Forest,
which also menaces the Umatilla National
Forest adjoining.

Vancouver and its
DESIRE FOR DRYDOCK

Vancouver, July 22.—There is no
doubt that the Government would
entertain a bona fide proposition from any
responsible firm to build a drydock in
Vancouver under the Drydock Subsidy
Act, said H. S. Clements, editor for
Cromwell, Alberta, who has returned to
this city. "There is no proposition of
this kind before the Department at
present, but should one be put forward
it would be given every consideration
by the Government."

Regulations.
The corporation council to-day be-
gan the work of drafting an ordinance
regulating the operation of aircraft
over the city.

The Illinois Trust & Savings Bank
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The building, situated at La Salle
and Dearborn Streets, opposite the
Board of Trade, is only two stories in
height and is of colonial architecture.

SAN SALVADOR FIRE.
San Salvador, Republic of Sal-
vador, July 21.—The wireless station and
building, covering one and a half
blocks in the heart of the city were
destroyed by fire to-day. The costly
residence of Emilio Ruano, a mil-
lionaire, the Hotel Victoria, and many
warehouses were burned.

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PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE

HOSPITAL,

Victoria, B. C.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES.

Tenders for groceries, meat, milk, bread, fish and eggs will be received by the undersigned on or before July 25, 1919. Further information may be had on application.

G. T. CARVER,

Secretary.

NOTICE.

I hereby give notice that all partnerships in which have heretofore been entered are to be dissolved as from the 1st day of July, 1919.

(Signed) THOMAS ARTHUR PHILLIPS.

Victoria, July 18, 1919.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

Tax notices for the current year have been sent to all assessed owners and addressed to the office of the Assessment Roll. Please notify office immediately if not received. A PENALTY OF TEN PER CENT. will be added to the 1919 tax unless all taxes are paid by JULY 1, 1919.

O. W. ROSS,

Collector of Taxes.

Oak Bay, B. C., July 14, 1919. No. 6168.

QUESNEL QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, LIMITED LIABILITY.

Incorporated 1878.

1386 Cardero Street,

Vancouver, B. C., July 12, 1919.

Notice of Sale of Delinquent Shares.

The following shareholders not having paid the assessment of one-eighth of one per share, made on the 29th day of April, 1912, as aforesaid, and as herein set forth, or as many thereof as will cover the amount due, with interest and expenses, will be sold by public auction at the Auction Room, George Macrae, 422 Hornby Street, Vancouver, on the hour of 12 o'clock noon, on the 19th day of August, 1919.

List of Delinquents.

No. of Assess.	Ex-	Shares mens.	Interest mens.
W. A. Johnston, Trustee	2,260	283	2.75
W. A. Johnston Estate	18,771	18,46	14.75
H. H. Ross, N. S.	1,000	100	1.00
Joseph Masson Estate	2,213	284	2.21
H. A. Stevenson Estate	2,598	328	2.69
A. J. B. Stevenson	100	13	.10
A. J. B. Skinner	100	13	.10
John W. Wilson	1,200	150	1.50
McLeod Estate	15,450	20,56	18.40
Choo Soon	1,000	125	1.00
Wan Lee	2,000	250	2.00
C. M. Keefer Estate	3,000	375	3.00
Barney Kent	100	13	.10
W. A. Ross	500	63	.50
A. McNaull Estate	1,000	125	1.00
J. WILSON,			
Secretary-Treasurer.			
No. 6470.			

LICENSE NOTICE

Under the provisions of the new Trades License By-Law 1919.

WRITTEN APPLICATION

must now be recorded in my office by every person carrying on any business or occupation required to be licensed and

PAYMENT MADE FORTHWITH

of the fee for same.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Collector.

Victoria, B. C., City Hall, 15th July, 1919.



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVAL SERVICE.

Sale of Motor Launch.

Sold tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon on 25th July, 1919, for the purchase of a launch.

Length 12 ft. width 4 inches beam 7 feet 6 inches. Engine 18 h. p., three-cylinder, four-cycle Fairbanks Morse.

The Department does not bind itself to accept.

All tenders to be clearly marked on the cover "Tender for Motor Boat."

The boat may be viewed at Vancouver by appointment with the Divisional Naval Officer, 812 Standard Bank Building.

(Signed) J. H. DELVES,
Acting Naval Store Officer.

H. M. S. Dockyard,

Esquimalt, B. C., July 18, 1919.

No. 6532.

Notice of Cancellation

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing over certain Crown lands in the Victoria, Esquimalt, Oak Bay, Bury and Renfrew Districts, notice of which appeared in the British Columbia Gazette on the 3rd July, 1913, is cancelled.

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Lands Department.

Victoria, B. C., July 15, 1919.

No. 6547.

Sale No. 1518

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.

Only instructed by Mrs. McVicker, will give the public one more opportunity of acquiring specimens from her.

Unique Collection of China, Prints, Curios, Etc.

at her Store, 1421 Government Street, in the Westholme Block,

No. 6509.

TO-MORROW, July 23

at 2 o'clock. At the same time, by order of the Public Administrator, they will sell a 14 karat Gold Watch (damaged by water), Gold Albert Chain, Gold Locket with monogram, set, K. of P. Gold Emblem, Gold Ring, Gold Cuff Links, Gold-filled Watch and Chain, with \$5 gold-piece and half a sovereign; Men's Clothing, Trunks, etc. For further particulars apply to

The Auctioneer,
STEWART WILLIAMS,

410 and 411 Sayward Building.

Phone 1324.

Sale No. 1516

NOTICE

Owing to the holidays having stopped the continuation of Mrs. McVicker's Auction Sale

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.

Will give the public one more opportunity of acquiring specimens from this.

Unique Collection of China and Curios

—ON—

Wednesday, July 23

At 2 o'clock.

For further particulars apply to

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Phone 1324.

2,000 BERRY CRATES Left

While they last, 25c. each.

JAMES LEIGH & SONS

No. 6461.

TENDERS FOR COAL.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Quotation for Coal, Dominion Buildings, British Columbia" received on or before July 22 noon, Tuesday, August 5, 1919, for the supply of coal for the public buildings throughout the Province of British Columbia.

Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained from the Purchasing Agent, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and from the caretakers of the different Dominion Buildings.

Tenders will not be considered unless made from firms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 p. c. of the amount of the tender. War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security, or War Bonds and cheques required to make up an odd amount.

By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Ont., July 7, 1919.

No. 6461.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH IS JURY'S VERDICT

Coroner Advised Against Manslaughter Verdict in Miss Gladys Coulter's Inquest

"Accidental Death" was the verdict returned this morning by a coroner's jury, which inquired into the circumstances surrounding the death of Miss Gladys Coulter.

Full details of the terrible crash of last Saturday evening when a Chevrolet, driven by William Emery, was sandwiched between two street cars on Fort Street, near Lee Avenue, were given at the inquest.

Frank Higgins, K.C., attended the inquest on behalf of Mr. Emery, and A. D. King, solicitor for the C. E. C. Railway Co., was present.

After the hearing of the witnesses the lawyers became involved in a argument as to where the onus of the responsibility for the accident should be placed, but the coroner, Dr. Shand, advised the jury against bringing in a verdict of manslaughter, as there were several points of law upon which they were not clear. These, he said, would be cleared up in the trial which would proceed later. There was doubt as to whether or not a motor could pass a street car on the right side, even where the road would not permit passing on the left side.

Mr. Emery Tells Story.

William Emery, driver of the car, stated that he was returning from Cadboro Bay with seven passengers in his Chevrolet car. He followed the Uplands car along Fort Street and noticed a large number waiting at Lee Avenue to board it. He expected that the street car would stop, and as his invalid son was anxious to get home, he decided to swing out on to the right. The street car did not stop, however, and he expected. The witness did not know of any regulations which prevented him from passing a street car on the left side. When abreast of the street car, Mr. Emery was making about fifteen miles an hour, and almost immediately he noticed a street car coming towards him at an excessive rate of speed not more than 300 yards away. At once the witness put on full power as he believed his only chance in escaping an accident was in getting between the gap. He did not think of turning to the right side of the road.

The witness stated that if he had had a few more feet he would have cleared the street cars. However, when the city-bound car failed to stop to pick up the passengers his plan of running half a street car length ahead, Soper said his car was traveling between ten and fifteen miles an hour. Realizing the danger he immediately turned over the reverse, and the next instant the automobile was crushed between the two street cars. The witness' car left the rail and pulled up within two car lengths. The demolished motor was pinned under the front trucks of the Uplands car. When Soper went to the assistance of the injured people he found Miss Gladys Coulter lying on the ground and her wrist pinned by her leg in the wreckage. In reply to a question from Mr. Emery could have cleared had he swung over to the right of the road. In reply to another question from Mr. Higgins the witness stated that he knew street cars were not allowed to proceed faster than eight miles an hour in the city and ten miles an hour outside, but he added that in a busy street it was impossible to keep on schedule at that speed.

Fred McLaren, motorman on the Uplands car bound for the city, stated he slowed down at Lee Avenue to about four miles an hour and told the passengers to take care which was followed closely. He then started to feed up his car when he noticed a Willows car approaching in the opposite direction. He saw Soper reach up, and throw on the reverse and knew that something was going to happen and accordingly shut off his power and applied the brakes to his car. At the same time he gave a glance to his right and saw the automobile. There was a jar, and his car commenced to bump and he knew it was off the track.

Car Traveled Fast.

W. C. Gilling, who was an eye-witness of the accident, stated that Mr. Emery was driving his car on the side of the road in his opinion and that the street car which was bound for the Willows was traveling at twenty-five miles an hour. He saw Emery's car jump forward under its full power, and did not believe that the accident was inevitable. Witness fully expected to see the street car pull up or stop, but it did not. In answer to Mr. Higgins he stated that there was no time for the street car to have stopped. He did not think that the car was slowed up.

E. Howlett also gave evidence to the effect that the street car bound for the Willows did not appear to slow up before hitting the motor car.

Dr. Watson, who attended Miss Coulter, gave evidence that death was caused through injuries at the base of the brain. She had a fracture at the base of the skull.

John O'Connell, conductor on the Uplands car bound for the city, and E. Emery, who, with his brother, was following the car driven by William Emery in another Chevrolet, also gave evidence. Emery stated that he saw the two street cars pinch the motor. They seemed to lift and then spread and dropped on the pavement.

The funeral of Thomas Park took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 at the B. C. Funeral Chapel. Service was conducted at the chapel and grave by the Rev. Robt. Wilkinson, the hymns "N

Victoria First Port On Shortest Route to Europe From Orient

Nippon Yusen Kaisha Will Maintain Its Speediest and Most Palatial Passenger Liners in Trans-Pacific Service—Three 25,000-Ton Boats of Twenty-Knot Speed Destined for Trans-Oceanic Travel

Capt. T. Irisawa, commander of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Fushimi Maru, on his arrival from the Orient to-day, stated that the plans of the premier Japanese transportation corporation for the development of its trans-Pacific business are rapidly materializing, a fact which is emphasized by the decision of the company to build three 25,000-ton passenger liners for the service between Hongkong, Yokohama, Victoria and Seattle.

Never before in the history of Japanese shipping has the outlook been so promising for the development of business on this ocean. Realizing this, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha is launching out into a construction programme that will dwarf anything that has been attempted hitherto. The ships that are being built for this trade will be palatial floating palaces, and in the matter of speed they will eclipse anything now on the Pacific.

The first of these Leviathans of the deep is being built in the United Kingdom at a figure stated by Capt. Irisawa to be \$600 a ton.

Patterned after this liner, the other two vessels will be built at the great Mitsubishi and Kawasaki dockyards in Japan.

Speed of Twenty Knots.

The new ships will have a minimum speed of twenty knots and will be able to negotiate the passage in nine days.

It is anticipated that the first of these new liners will be completed and ready for service within a year. The four liners at present maintaining the trans-Pacific service of the company, the Fushimi Maru, Suwa Maru, Katori Maru and Kashima Maru, will be retained on the Pacific route, according to Capt. Irisawa.

This is being done at the special request of the Japanese Government which is anxious of having the best steamship service possible to Europe via the trans-Pacific route.

The trans-Pacific route is now looked upon as the most direct route to Europe, and it is predicted that travel by this route between the Far East and European countries will become more and more popular in the process of time.

According to Capt. Irisawa, the distance from Kobe to Marseilles via the Suez Canal is approximately 16,000 miles, and a great deterrent to travel by the Suez route has been the length of time occupied by ships in making the run from Japan to Europe.

On the Suez route it takes a vessel six months to make the round trip between Japan and the United Kingdom, whereas the round trip between Hongkong, Yokohama, Victoria and Seattle occupies but three months.

Furthermore, on each voyage across the Pacific the passenger accommodation of the liners is filled to its utmost capacity, whereas on the Suez route travel never reached such proportions.

Time Big Factor.

By travelling across the Pacific, business men anxious to reach Europe with the minimum delay, can make Liverpool or other large ports in Europe well within twenty-five days' travel from Yokohama. By the Suez route, between Kobe and Marseilles, where most of the passengers disembark for European points, it takes forty-five days.

With the advent of the twenty-knot ships to the trans-Pacific run the traveler from Yokohama via Victoria, Seattle and New York will be able to make London or Paris in twenty days.

These factors are largely responsible for the division of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha to develop its trans-Pacific business. In the opinion of Capt. Irisawa the largest passenger liners of the company will never revert to the present route to Europe via the Suez Canal.

**CAPE FINISTERRE
HELD AT BALBOA**

Vessel Which Left Here in May One of Three Ships With Engine Trouble

The British five-masted auxiliary schooner Cape Finisterre, last of a half dozen ships built by the Llyall Shipbuilding Company at North Vancouver is one of three vessels now at Balboa with engine trouble. In command of Capt. Jack Anderson, a Victoria navigator, the Cape Finisterre, laden with a cargo of lumber from Port Blakely for Queenstown for orders, left the Royal Roads early in May. She put into San Pedro on her way south. The other vessels at Balboa with machinery trouble are the Norwegian auxiliary schooner Snetind, from Puget Sound for Portsmouth, and the steamship Brookland, from Tacoma for New York.

**A Home Recipe For
Removing Wrinkles**

Who will blame the modern woman for trying to look as young and attractive as she possibly can? Why should she be placed at a disadvantage in numerous ways by wearing wrinkles, if she can avoid these hateful marks of advancing age? Few women, however, know what to do to obtain rid of the effects of wrinkles or sagging. Most of the advertised preparations are unsatisfactory and very expensive. But a very simple and harmless home remedy, which any woman can use, is to apply a poultice where all the patent preparations fail.

Buy an ounce of powdered saponite at any drug store. Dissolve the whole ounce in a half pint of witch hazel and use as a wash lotion. This results and practical application of this poultice will be noticed immediately after the very first trial. Wrinkles and sagging are corrected and the face feels so refreshed and smooth.

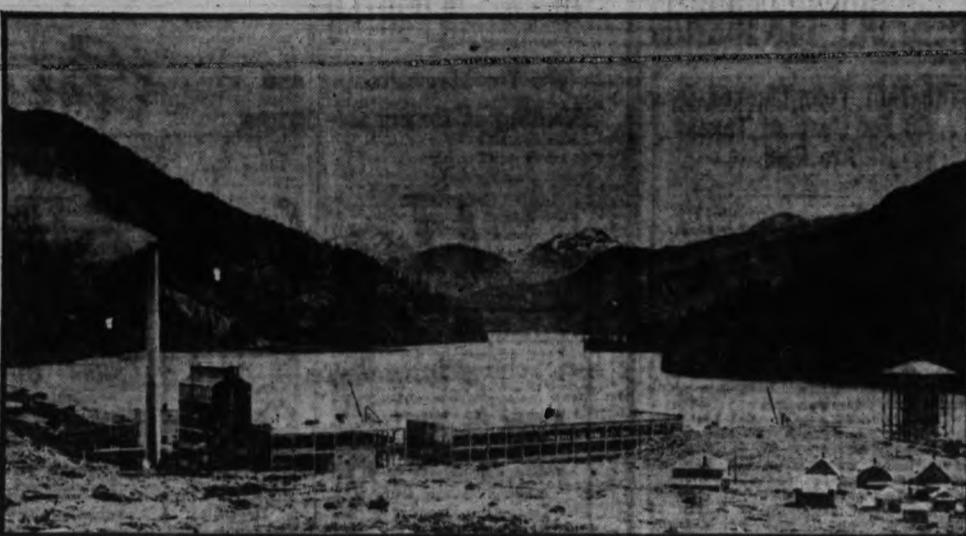
**EMPEROR OF JAPAN
WILL LEAVE FOR
ORIENT THURSDAY**

On her outbound voyage to the Orient the C. P. O. S. liner Empress of Japan, Capt. W. Dixie-Hopkins, R. N. R., is scheduled to leave here on Thursday. The liner, which is now completing her cargo at Vancouver, is taking out a good list of saloon passengers.

CEMENT WORKERS QUIT.

Twelve cement workers employed by the Foundation Company this morning quit work demanding a wage of \$7 a day.

Whalen Pulp Plant at Port Alice



RAIN IN JAPAN DELAYED LINER

Fushimi Maru Made Port Early
This morning From the
Far East

STEEL SHIPS FOR SCANDINAVIAN FIRM

Portland Concern Said to Have
Received Order For Four
6,000-Ton Carriers

THANK MEMBERS FOR SECURING DRYDOCK

J. C. McIntosh, M.P., Points Out
Prosperity It Will Spell to
Esquimalt

Delay in loading cargo at Japanese ports put the N. Y. K. liner Fushimi Maru one day behind schedule in departing from Yokohama for this port.

This is the rainy season in Japan and the liner was greatly handicapped in working freight by reason of the frequent downpours. Clearing from Yokohama at 3 p. m. on July 9 the Fushimi Maru encountered exceptionally fine weather, and the trans-Pacific cruise was completed without incident. When Head was reached at midnight, and the ship came alongside at 7:45 o'clock this morning.

After discharging 1,935 tons of Oriental freight at the Outer Docks the Japanese steamer will get away this evening for Seattle via Port Townsend.

The Fushimi Maru brought in 486 passengers all told, including 142 sailors.

The list included a large number of foreign residents of the Orient bound for points in Europe.

The total cargo carried by the liner amounted to 8,121 tons and consisted of 80,396 packages. Large shipments of tea and porcelain comprised important items on the manifest, while the silk train cargo totalled 724 tons. The raw silk shipment amounted to 3,744 bags, and was valued at over \$2,000,000.

For Seattle the ship brought in 2,878 bags, the balance of the cargo being consigned overland.

Crew Returns.

Among the steerage passengers arriving by the Fushimi Maru were the members of the crew of the Canadian steamer St. Mihuel, a steel vessel of 4,000 tons register built at Toronto and sold to the French.

The vessel proceeded to the Orient via the Panama Canal, and was taken over by a French crew at Shanghai.

**GIRLS SAVE BOY
FROM DROWNING**

Marjorie Judd and Annie Miller Perform Gallant Rescue

A gallant rescue was performed by two young girls at Langford Lake on Sunday last. Harold Morrison, about twelve years of age, who was paddling a raft in deep water, lost his balance and fell into the water, sinking at once. Miss Marjorie Judd and Miss Annie Miller, who were bathing close to, at once realized what had happened and swam to the boy's assistance. Marjorie Judd who was nearest the scene swam forward just as the boy was sinking. She caught hold of him and endeavored to swim with him, but the boy in his desperation struggled, caught her round the neck, pulling her under water. After a struggle she managed to pull him towards the raft, which Annie Miller with great presence of mind had pushed towards the spot where the boy and his rescuer were struggling. Her foresight prevented what would undoubtedly have ended in a fatal occurrence.

Point Grey—Fog; N. W. light; 30:02; 62; sea moderate.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30:05; sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear; calm; 29:55; 47; sea smooth. Spoke str. Niagara, 4:55 a.m., position at 8 p.m., 1,600 miles from Victoria, southbound. Spoke str. Wakasa Maru, 1:40 a.m., position at 8 p.m., lat. 51:49 N. long. 147:51 W. eastbound.

Alert Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29:50; 54; sea smooth. Spoke str. Prince George, 11:30 p.m., abeam, northbound; passed outboard. Chelownay, 5:35 a.m., southbound.

Triangle—Fog; N. W. light; 30:20; 50; sea smooth. Spoke str. Admiral Sebree, 8 p.m., seventy-five miles south of Cape Scott, southbound.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 30:26; 52; sea smooth.

Ikeda Bay—Overcast; calm; 30:35; 57; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 30:09; 50; sea smooth.

Point Grey—Clear; N. W. light; 30:02; 62; sea moderate.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30:05; 62; sea smooth.

Pachena—Fog; S. E. light; 29:55; 46; light swell.

Port Renfrew—Clear; N. W. light; 29:58; 58; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Clear; W. 28:45; 62; sea smooth.

Triangle—Cloudy; W. light; 30:30; 55; sea smooth. Spoke str. Curacao, 9 a.m. Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound; spoke str. Prince George, 11:25 a.m. Queen Charlotte Sound, northbound.

Dead Tree Point—Fog; calm; 30:28; 60; sea smooth.

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Triangle—Cloudy; W. light; 30:30; 55; sea smooth. Spoke str. Curacao, 9 a.m. Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound; spoke str. Prince George, 11:25 a.m. Queen Charlotte Sound, northbound.

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Deputy Minister, Department Naval Service.

Ottawa, June 28th, 1919.

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TO MEET ADJUSTMENT

School Trustees Adopt Report of Trustee Aitken and Dr. Lewis Hall

City Must Borrow to Meet Local Improvement Commissioners' Adjustment

The question of the establishment of a dental clinic in connection with the city schools was fully discussed at last night's meeting of the School Board. Trustee Capt. A. M. Aitken and Dr. Lewis Hall presented a report of their findings during their recent visit to similar clinics at Vancouver and Seattle. After full investigation they advocated the appointment of a dentist to give his full time to the proposed clinic. The report was approved and adopted by the Board and the committee will again report as to a suitable location and cost of the proposed clinic.

Teaching Appointments

Appointments to the teaching staff were made as follows: Misses Louise A. Eastman, Irene A. Huntley, Dorothy Hay and E. A. Stewart. Miss M. Wright was re-appointed domestic science teacher.

Various tenders for work in connection with the schools, supplies of coal, etc., were received, but, owing to pressure of other business, were left over for consideration at a special meeting to be held within the next few days. The Board adjourned at eleven o'clock.

BLEED TO DEATH

Tried to trim a wart with a razor and severed an artery. The only wart cure is "Putnam's," which removes warts, corns, callouses in one day. Insist on getting Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor. It's the best. 25¢ at all dealers.

REFUSE TO RE-INSTATE
THE FORMER CITY CLERK

A letter asking that he should be reinstated in his position of City Clerk was received by the City Council last night from Wellington J. Dowler. Mr. Dowler promised that, should he be reinstated, he would give the corporation the same faithful service that he had given in the past. Accompanying the communication was a petition signed by thirty-four citizens, supporting his request for re-instatement. The request was unanimously rejected by the Council.

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"We shall have to borrow to make up the money said Mr. Raymur, "that's all I see for it."

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ESQUIMALT HAS
SET TAX RECORD

With Half Year Elapsed Over
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Are Paid

Esquimalt taxpayers have helped the council to establish a record in tax collections, according to claims made by the councilors at the meeting held last night. G. H. Arthur, Reeve, reported that with only six months of the year elapsed over 83 per cent. of the taxes had been paid, and Reeve Arthur Coles remarked that this was a matter for great congratulation. He believed there was not another municipality in British Columbia could make the same showing.

The Reeve also expressed his optimism concerning the future of Esquimalt. J. C. McMichael, M. P., had addressed the meeting on the drydock. The Reeve said he was always confident that the drydock would be built at Esquimalt, although at times he had been charged with being over-optimistic. Esquimalt had been going along steadily for several years, and trying not to spend money during the war but the municipality was not off.

The treasurer's report stated that this year's collection of taxes and rates for the period ended June 30, had been remarkably good and showed the following results:

Current taxes—General rate, estimated revenue, \$33,142.99; amount collected, \$39,489.90; yielding \$3.81 per cent. Sewer rates and rentals—Estimated revenue, \$15,026.03; amount collected, \$13,710.95; yielding 76.06 per cent.

Outstanding taxes—Arrears, total revenue, \$12,334.94; amount collected, \$6,560.79; yielding 34.1 per cent. Delinquent, total revenue, \$13,956.70; amount collected, \$3,469.51; yielding 39.1 per cent.

The following comparison indicated a marked increase in the percentage of taxes and rates collected over last year, and was especially noticeable in the collection of arrears:

1918—General rate, 80 per cent; sewer rates and rentals, 71.50 per cent; outstanding taxes, 25.66 per cent.

1919—General rate, 83.81; increase, 3.81 per cent; sewer rates and rentals, 78.06 per cent; increase, 4.56 per cent; outstanding taxes, 36.21 per cent; increase, 10.55 per cent.

Fire Chief's report given to By-law No. 21, providing for the early closing of shops within the municipality. Under the new by-law stores will close on every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, and remain closed during the remainder of the day; on every holiday throughout the whole of the day; provided also stores may be kept open until 9 o'clock in the afternoon of any day immediately preceding a holiday.

The Chief's Two and a Half.

On receiving a report from Chief Palmer of half a dozen fire objections were raised by Councillor Wise, who received support from other members of the councilors, to the chief's recommendation that he, among others, who fought fires should be awarded a sum of \$2.50 by the council. "I do not see," said Councillor Wise, "why the Fire Chief should receive \$2.50 for every fire he attends. It is part of his duty as Fire Chief to do so." Councillor Mosher also remarked that he did not think they should put out \$2.50 to every person who helped put out a grass fire, or who helped put out a fire in defense of his own property.

"It is the duty of a good citizen to do so," he said. "I have done it scores of times, and should be insulted if anyone offered me money for doing what I considered I ought to do." The matter was referred to the Fire and Lights Committee.

Alleged Gambling at Gorge.

A letter was read from the Victoria West W. C. T. U. asking the council to take action on gambling which they alleged was taking part in the B. C. Electric Park at the Gorge. Reeve Coles commented that the matter was in the hands of the Solicitor for a report. The gambling which was objected to was the amusement stands where people threw rings, or by other means tried to win a Teddy Bear or Kewpie Doll. He had had telephone messages so frequently from one particular gentleman who admitted that he was indirectly connected with the letter. The writer had threatened to report him to the Minister of Justice.

"I said go to it my friend," remarked the Reeve, "and told him we would act as we thought fit, and not as he tried to force us." The letter was received and filed, pending a report from the Solicitor.

More Esquimalt Progress.

Engineer Bourne's report showed several applications for building improvements. An application was received from Yarrows Limited for permission to proceed with an office extension building at a cost of \$4,000, and was granted.

Want Bathing Beach.

Chief of Police Palmer reported that the need of accommodation for bathers was felt at Fleming's Beach. The beach was fast becoming a popular resort for swimmers, and there was no accommodation for them to undress. There were many lady swimmers, and the need for the erection of dressing rooms had frequently been commented upon. Councillor Biddle supported the chief's remarks, and was asked to survey the beach, inquire into the cost of erecting dressing rooms, and report to the next meeting of the Council.

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